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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Jae-Moon JO, et al.

Application No: 08/495,591   Group Art Unit: 2616

Filed: August 2, 1995   Examiner: Bijan Tadayon

For: ADAPTIVE VARIABLE-LENGTH CODING AND
     DECODING METHODS FOR IMAGE DATA

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.115

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 24, 1997, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claim 1, line 4, change "[run, level]" to --run, level--;

line 10, change "[run, level]" to --run, level--.

Claim 5, line 2, before "said" insert --by--, delete "the";

line 4, after "said" insert --decoding--;

line 8, change "[run, level]" to --run, level--;

line 14, change "[run, level]" to --run, level--.

Claim 8, lines 4-5, change "[run, level]" to --run,